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Utah Coal Program
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C/015/017.

Subj: Request for an Extension to Finalize the Annual Report, PacifiCorp,
Cottonwood/Wilberg, C/015/019, Deer Creek Mine, C/015/018, Des-Bee-Dove Mine,

PacifiCorp, by and through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Energy West Mining Company ("Energy West"), hereby requests an extension to finalize the Annual Report for PacifiCorp mines in located Emery County. Hydrologic & Subsidence sections are complete and will be transmitted to the Division on April 2, 2002 (Cottonwood Fan Portal Bond Release meeting). Energy West received the annual vegetation report from our subcontractor last week. Energy West requests that the Division grant a 30 day extension with the responses due May 1, 2002. The extension request will allow Energy West time to incorporate data from the vegetation report to the vegetation monitoring maps which are part of the General Section.

If there are any concerns with this request, please call me a (435) 687-4720 or Dennis Oakley at (435) 687-4825.

Sincerely,

Charles A. Semborski

Geology/Permitting Supervisor

cc: Carl Pollastro (EWMC)

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